

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3924
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2016

SHARE OF NUCLEAR POWER

3924. SHRI RAVNEET SINGH:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the expected share of nuclear power in total energy generation in the country by the end of Twelfth Five Year Plan Period;
- (b) whether the Government plans to increase the annual budgetary allocation for generation of nuclear energy in the coming years; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR, PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) The share of nuclear power in the total generation in the country by end of the XII Plan period is expected to be about 3%.
- (b) Yes, Sir.
- (c) The Hon. Finance Minister in his budget Speech 2016-17 has announced that the Government is drawing up a comprehensive plan, spanning next 15 to 20 years, to augment the investment in nuclear power generation.
